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Pipes And Pipe-Liners On The Move . . .

Work has started on the unloading of 30 train-loads of pipeline material for the Alberta Gas Trunk Line, which has been sitting on the sidings in the local C.P.R. yards since last weekend.

The line will move from west of Carstairs, travel southeast of "our town" and Olds, go through the Torrington area and on to Nevis.

The Didsbury Board of Trade have made an appeal to anyone who may have board and room, or even a room available to accommodate workers on the pipe-line, to contact Mr. C. G. Leeson, phone him at 37 if you are interested.

FALLEN TIMBER

(From Our Own Correspondent)

A special evening was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roberts with a good attendance. Proceeds will go to the Busy Bees.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moncey and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McGuffin.

Rev. Ruby Moore and Mrs. Howton spent several days in Edmonton at the Four-square Convention of Alberta and Saskatchewan Four-square churches.

Revs. Bob and Helen McCaffin of Edmonton and Rev. Roy Mowrer of Portland, Oregon, were guests at the Fallen Timber Church, Thursday evening, coming from Edmonton despite the snow storm, to show the film "Life to Life," to those who ventured out in the storm.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Bert King is a patient in the Didsbury hospital.

Debbie Herbert was the winner of the lovely satin quilt raffled by the Fallen Timber Young People of the church.

Mr. Wayne Roberts is spending a while in the district.

Sunday a film entitled "Beyond the Bell," a missionary story in color taken in Bolivia, S. A., was shown at the Fallen Timber church. This picture showed the great work being done by Jack Anderson, Four-square Missionary to the Indians of South America. The International Church of the Four-square Gospel has 888 missionaries caring for 808 mission stations in 28 mission fields in different parts of the world.

Kathy Fyten spent several days visiting Jeanne Howton recently. Visitation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Johnson recently with the latter's two nephews, who had just returned from visiting in California.

Mr. Johnny Howton and Jeanne were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry McMullen had as their guests recently, Mr. and Mrs. W. Fyten and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McMullen and family and Mr. John Hayes. The occasion was the birthday of Bruce McMullen, Joy Fyten and John Hayes.

Friday night, April 24th, a dance was held in the Fallen Timber school, with a group of young people from Cremona supplying the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Morrison and boys were Didsbury and Olds visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carlisle and family of Calgary were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Fyten on Sunday.

SPRINGSIDE NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Stathan, of Olds and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Chandler were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Chandler.

Mrs. Dorothy Jackson and boys and Mrs. Florence Chandler visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Chandler last Friday afternoon.

Next meeting of the Ladies' Group will be at the home of Mrs. E. Morton on Thursday, May 7th. Ladies please bring your dozen cookies.

Saturday evening visitors at the Wm. Collinge home were Mr. and Mrs. C. Roth, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morton, Mr. and Mrs. John Kossov and Mrs. Irene Nilmons.

Mrs. E. Morton called on Mrs. Ringheim on Monday afternoon.

DIDSBURY MARKETS

BUTTERPAT	
Milk (4 hour blue)	78c
Milk (less than 4 hour blue)	72c
Table	72c
Didsbury and Olds	65c
Special	65c
No. 1	62c
No. 2	58c

Police Checking On Town Speeding

On April 21st, 1959, Roland L. Hanson of Edmonton appeared before Magistrate D. N. McDonald at Didsbury, and was fined \$25 and costs for speeding within the limits of the Town of Didsbury.

The police are investigating persons who may be operating cars, who have not reached the age to obtain a driver's license. Parents who allow persons to operate their motor vehicles should see that no person has permission to operate their car, unless they are in possession of a driver's license.

ZELLA NEWS NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Rugby F.U.A. sponsored the final whist party of the season with 15 tables in play. It was held last Monday evening in the Community Centre. Prize winners were Mrs. Clarence Roth, Mrs. Murray McRae, Allan Roth and Danny Russell. Consolations were won by Brooks Brinson, Bobby Waldroff, Dick Wick and Mrs. Les Steeves. Mrs. Walter Herbert won the door prize. Proceeds from the party will be donated to the Junior FUA camp at Gold Eye Lake.

Miss Kathleen Gramer is a patient in Didsbury hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wadley moved their trailer back to the Golden Spike field, near Devon, on Tuesday. Bill is employed with an oil drilling crew in that area.

On Thursday afternoon, April 16, Mrs. H. Christensen, with Mrs. Jim Jackson as co-hostess, entertained 13 members of the Zella W.I. and five visitors.

Plans were completed for the handicraft tea to be held in Didsbury on Saturday, May 2nd. The secretary reported on the executive meeting held recently in Didsbury. A letter from the adoption committee for aid to displaced persons in Europe, was read. The letter was from the B.C. branch. The secretary will correspond with the Unitarian Service Committee in Calgary to see if they have a similar adoption scheme.

Mrs. Mike Knights gave an interesting paper on education, "Palaces of Education," an outline of conditions of American education.

Members are asked to note that the next meeting will be held one week earlier than usual, Thursday, May 14th, at the home of Mrs. Royal Cook.

BIRTHS

AT THE DIDSBURY MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL

To Mr. and Mrs. L. Irwin of Sundre, on April 22nd, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. A. Luft of Didsbury, on April 25th, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. P. Luft of Westcott, on April 25th, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. Hale of James River, on April 25th, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. S. McQuire of Cremona, on April 28th, a daughter.

KNOX W.A. HOLD REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of Knox United Church W.A. was held in the church Monday, April 16th at 8 p.m., with Mrs. John Kossov as hostess.

During the business session, it was decided to hold a Mother's Day Tea and Bake Sale in the church basement on Saturday, May 9th at 2:30 p.m.

Local Business Changes Hands

The local Imperial Oil Agency has changed ownership, effective April 15th. Mr. Gordon "Barney" Elliott, who has operated a very successful business here for the past 27 months, has decided to take off for greener pastures.

Mr. Elliott operated a service station at Neapolis for a number of years before taking over the Imperial Oil Agency in Didsbury from Mr. Ivan Weber. He has disposed of his assets in this area to Mr. S. W. Tiehe, who has been appointed the new agent by Imperial Oil Ltd.



FINANCE MINISTER DONALD FLEMING
"There should be some narrowing of budgetary gap."

Play To Be Presented Here

Thrills, chills, and laughs abound in the unusual mystery-comedy, Dark Mountain, to be presented by Redeemer Lutheran League, on Friday, May 1st, in the Didsbury High School Auditorium, at 8:00 o'clock in the evening.

Mr. Fulton, who is no Daniel Boone, fancies himself as one and takes his family on a camping trip. His not-so-enthusiastic family become less so when they discover he has forgotten such things as a compass, matches, directions for setting up the tent, and the pancake flour. To make matters worse, though it hardly seems possible, a stranger warns them of ghosts and wolves which haunt the mountain. Naturally they don't believe in ghosts, until some odd and frightening things happen. Daughter Anne, however, is convinced that some fraternity brothers of her best beau are trying to scare them. So the Fulton family attempts to relax - all in the midst of a highly dangerous spy hunt.

Farmers Warned New Grass Seed Not So Good !!!

Travelling salesmen for Sorghum Alumnus have used glowing phrases to describe the virtues of the southern grass. According to these men and the literature they distribute, Sorghum Alumnus is a wonder grass, the equal of which has never been heard of before. They fail to mention, however, that none of these claims can be substantiated by any experimental data under Alberta conditions. Nor is any mention made of the fact that in the state of Washington, Sorghum Alumnus has been placed on the primary prohibited noxious weed seeds list, effective April 1st, 1958.

Farmers should bear these facts in mind when considering buying seed of an unproven grass at a high price from an over-enthusiastic salesman. advises O. G. Bratvold, Supervisor of Crop Improvement Service, Alberta Department of Agriculture.

LOCAL W.C.T.U. HOLD ANNUAL MEDAL CONTEST

The W.C.T.U. held its annual medal contest April 24th in the Evangelical church. Mrs. Jim Hooper was in charge of the program. A good crowd was on hand to hear 26 contestants who took part.

The opening devotionals was conducted by Rev. Stuckel. Winners were: Lyle Stauffer, maple leaf; Mary E. Ely, book; Pearl Wall, vocal; Beverly Neufeld, silver; Audrey Blom, sterling silver; Mrs. Ira Stauffer, sterling, pinned on the medals.

BERGEN NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The Bergen Store was broken into on Sunday evening or Monday morning, April 20th. Cigarettes, cigars, chocolate bars, etc and some clothing was taken. The store was left in a terrible mess.

There were broken bottles of pop, eggs and other articles of food scattered all over the floor. The scales and bubble gum dispenser were ruined. The postal office was also entered. The postal inspectors and R.C.M.P. are investigating. Entrance was gained through a window.

Mr. Paull Blain stayed last week at Elkton to be with his mother, while his brother Alce Blain is in Edmonton for medical treatment.

Mrs. Jean Clark returned to her home here after working for a number of months in Winnipeg. A crew has arrived to start work on the Bergen hill. There is some speculation as to whether a new bridge will be built over the Fallen Timber. The sharp curve has always been a nightmare when icy or wet.

LOCAL GUIDE WINS TOP HONORS

The annual handicraft competition, open to Guides from any Company in Alberta, was held in Edmonton during the week of April 5th. Three entries were sent in by members of the 1st Didsbury Company, two in sewing and one in art.

SPECIAL COURSES AT OLDS UNITED CHURCH

All young people intending marriage, recently married couples, and other married couples interested are invited to a series of marriage counselling courses, beginning Sunday, May 3rd, in the Olds United church, at 8 p.m.

The first in the series will be conducted by Rev. Ed Mullen of Woodcliff United church, Calgary, on the "Psychological Aspects of Marriage."

The remainder of the series will be presented by a banker, a doctor and a minister.

MELVIN NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mrs. Emil Krebs returned home Monday from a Calgary hospital where she underwent surgery for the removal of one kidney. We are glad to report she is recuperating nicely.

A number of people in the district have been bitten by the flu bug. Clifford Youngs landed in the hospital with pleurisy and a touch of pneumonia. However, he is improving rapidly and will probably be home this weekend.

Mrs. E. Dupont Sr. is still in the hospital as a result of a broken ankle, which was injured about two months ago. The later complication was a blood clot which is now clearing up.

Mrs. Andy Jackson and children of Olds spent a few days last week at the Dupont home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dupont Jr. and three elder boys of Calgary, were Didsbury visitors on Sunday, where they visited the former's mother in hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cowitz and Elaine and Mr. Royden Cowitz and Barry of Calgary were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. August Krebs. They brought with them Grandma Cowitz, who has been visiting in Calgary the past month. Grandma Cowitz will spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Krebs before moving back into her own home.

Mr. E. Landen of Calgary visited at the August Krebs home on Sunday.

CREMONA NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Friday, April 24th, was a school holiday at Cremona, owing to the very heavy snowfall which made country roads impassable.

The shower scheduled for April 25th in honor of Miss Margaret Mork was postponed until the afternoon of May 16th, due to road conditions.

The bi-monthly meeting of the Sewing Circle was held at the home of Mrs. B. Gano on April 22nd.

Mr. D. McLean spent several days in Edmonton last week. Mrs. B. B. Reid returned home from hospital last Friday.

Mr. Doug Waterstreet entered the Didsbury hospital last Friday for a medical check over.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Dore (Karen Ray), on the birth of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bergeson and Mr. and Mrs. R. Bergeson have moved out of town, as their seasonal work takes them elsewhere.

Guides And Brownies To Sell Cookies . . .



Shown above is Miss Carole Zimmermann, who was born near Didsbury, is contesting the Annual Calgary Stampede Queen Contest under the sponsorship of the Innisfail Lions Club.

Carole, who is a high school student, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Zimmermann. She is a Didsbury Rambler Hockey Club fan. Proceeds from the Calgary Stampede Queen Contest each year go toward charitable work throughout Alberta.

MORE HELP NEEDED FOR LOCAL DEFENCE

Press Relations Officer C. Alden reports that Exercise Co-Operation No. 3, a simulated Nuclear attack on this country was the basis for a 24-hour practice alert by the headquarters and control room staffs of the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 49, last week.

This municipality was one of many across Canada, activated to participate in the nation-wide practice alert controlled from Ottawa and Edmonton.

Director of Civil Defence William J. Bagnall, assisted by his deputy, Herman Roediger and Controller Walter K. Snyder operated 24 full three shifts, totaling some 30 volunteers for the duration of the warning.

It might be interesting to note that some 12,110 evacuees were received and cared for by the municipal organization throughout the areas of Carstairs, Didsbury, Cremona and Sundre.

Reve Bagnall states that the practice alert proved conclusively that many more increased volunteers are required to fill the ranks of the municipal organization.

GOLF NOTES . . .

The ladies section of the Didsbury Golf Club will hold its first session of the new season today Thursday, April 30th, at 1:30. Following the game a business meeting will be held and tea will be served in the clubhouse at 3:30.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. Norman Clarke of Calgary spent the weekend with Mr. Jim Hadley, at the Burns farm.

Rev. and Mrs. E. Doyle of Fort Macleod visited briefly on Monday with Mr. and Mrs. David Pratt and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rupp.

Mr. and Mrs. David Pratt and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Snyder and boys of Carstairs were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snyder and family.

Mr. Doug Good and baby, Ronald William, came home from the hospital on Sunday. Among the first visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Loon of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Persinger and Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peterson and family of Carstairs and Mrs. Charles Snyder and Linda.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. James Worral included Mrs. Ethel Tiehe, Mrs. Reg Hamper, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Cullen and Bob, and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Sanders and girls of Olds.

An interested audience viewed cancer films and listened to talk by Mrs. Symons at the Mountain View Hall on Friday night. The projector was operated by Mr. John Hunter of Calgary. A silver collection was taken which will be turned over to the Cancer Society. This project was sponsored by Mountain View W.I.

ROAD BANS OFF ON MUNICIPAL ROADS

The Municipal District of Mountain View No. 49, have announced that all road bans within the district were removed as of 7:00 a.m. April 29th.

This information came from the secretary-treasurer, Mr. J. Riddiok.

C.P.R. Schedule

EFFECTIVE SUNDAY, APRIL 26th

Northbound:	
Daily	12:50 a.m.
Daily	(Flag Only) 9:31 a.m.
Daily	(Flag Only) 2:03 p.m.
Daily	(Flag Only) 7:25 p.m.
Daily	(Flag Only) 7:25 p.m.
Southbound:	
Daily	5:19 a.m.
Daily	(Stop) 11:06 a.m.
Daily	(Flag Only) 2:03 p.m.
Daily	(Flag Only) 7:25 p.m.
Daily	(Flag Only) 8:02 p.m.
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FOR SALE — At the south end of Didsbury, 10 acre feed lot and 6-roomed house; other buildings Corrale, good well. Apply to J. W. C. Jackson, Didsbury. 15-3tp

HOUSE FOR RENT — Three-roomed house, with full basement; water on tap, gas heated, with gas stove. Phone 18 or 221. 15-3tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE — Chore-boy milker, with one unit; will handle three; used eight months. H. Miller Phone 1718, Caistor, Alberta. 16-3tp

FOR SALE — 12x24' Building, with small porch. Phone 45, Didsbury. 16-3tp

WANTED — Man to work on farm till freeze up, no chores. Apply Ian Morgan, Carstairs. Phone 418. 15-3tp

WANTED — 40 rods of good used page wire. Lloyd Vogel, Phone 2015, Carstairs. 16-3tp

FOR SALE — Modern house and Garage, 2 lots. Phone 380 for further particulars. 16-3tp

TILLER & DISC SHARPENING — Work done right on the machine. Prices reasonable. Contact Bud McAvany, Sunnyslope, Alta. 16-3tp

FOR SALE — 100 chickens, three months old; mixed breed. \$1.00 each. Phone 2015, Didsbury. 16-3tp

LOST — In Township 30, east of No. 3 highway, 78 degree, long elbow for 11" diam. pipe off McKee Harvester. Please phone 66 or 449, Didsbury. 15-3tp

FOR SALE — Garry Seed Oats, from reg. seed, gov't. test 99%, cert. 78-4815; weight 43 lbs.; sample at Pioneer elevator, Price, 79c cleaned. Don Aussenhus, 2112, Didsbury. 14-5tp

SEED GRAIN FOR SALE, cleaned: Oll barley, germ. 97%, 78-6943, grown from reg. seed, field inspected. Parkland barley, germ. 98%, 78-8775, grown from reg. seed. Simcoe oats, germ. 99%, 78-8778, grown from reg. seed, field inspected. Garnet wheat, germ. 92%, 78-8956. Apply to W. A. Aussenhus, phone 713. 8-1tp

FOR SALE — Oll barley, 2nd gen., from registered seed, germ. 98%, 88c bushel, bin run. We are also the local agent for McCabe Seed Company. Place your order now for grass, legume and registered grain seed. E. Waskin, U.O.G. elevator No. 3, phone 116. 11-1tp

FOR SALE — 1951 Mercury 1/2-ton truck; May be seen at Barrett's Sales and Service. 11-1tp

FOR SALE — Slightly used Inglis automatic washer. Contact Lorne Clayton, phone 83. 15-1tp

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and

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They Say . . . Don't Buy . . .

We're told from different sources that some fast-talking salesmen have been in the district selling a new wonder grass seed to unsuspecting people. The name on the label, from what we hear, reads Sorghum Alum and reports have it that it just 'tain't good for this area. We've heard the seed comes around \$3.00 per pound and that a similar mixture can be bought for 18c a pound in some parts of the U.S. Sounds like a fair profit for someone — sounds like anyone approached by a mite careful of the product — and the price.

Ice Palace On The Mend . . .

An early set-back in the construction of the new curling rink, when the arches collapsed due to high winds, has been rectified and those in the know say it won't happen again. The rough work on the roof is nearing completion and it is expected that construction will continue throughout the summer. Volunteer labor is taking care of the erection of the new ice palace but voluntary donations from non-workers will be accepted at the Town Office anytime.

Stores To Have Longer Hours . . .

Falling in line with the plans of adjacent towns, most Didsbury retail merchants will keep their doors open until 9:00 p.m. on Saturdays during the months of May and June. Sure enough 'twill be a busy time of year for the man on the land, but are the longer hours really necessary? Can't anyone else in the family drive the car to town for supplies or repairs while the boss is driving the tractor?

Another Famous Quote . . .

"It isn't the people who tell all they know that cause most of the trouble in this world; it's the ones who tell more!"

MR. SMALLWOOD'S LABOR LAWS . . .

No premier of a mainland province would at present introduce a law like the Newfoundland law that forbids strikes and empowers Mr. Smallwood to dissolve unions at will, says J. B. McGee in The Financial Post. It is an extreme law by present-day standards in most places; but this is no proof that it doesn't suit the public opinion and social system of Newfoundland, a still undeveloped economy in which part-time fishermen eke out their modest earnings by working as part-time loggers. The Smallwood legislation may be excellent medicine for such a community. As the premier has a record as a friend of labor, having trumped his province as an organizer, he should certainly be given the benefit of the doubt.

Girls' Clubs Have Big Day

The Achievement Day of the Didsbury W.I. Constituency Girls' Clubs was held at the Midway School on Saturday, April 18th. The 76 club members represented the Mt. View Jolly Juniors, Lone Pine Orioles, Bancroft Buttercups and the Davis Daffodils. The judges of the displays were as follows: handicraft, Mrs. Carline of Olds; art work, Mrs. Joyce Mallen, Didsbury; short stories, Mrs. Budgeon, Crossfield; Program Books, Mrs. J. Shannon, Didsbury; Report forms, Mrs. H. Hoesgood, Didsbury; Public Speaking, Mrs. R. Schellenberg. When the points were tallied up it was the Bancroft Buttercups who emerged in first place. For their efforts the club was presented with a serving tray, on behalf of the U.F.A. Store at Crossfield.

ANOTHER CHUCKLE . . .

A taxi driver, his garbage uncollected, tried leaving it in a neat package on the back seat of his cab. Said he: "It works. I watched one woman through the rear-view mirror. She spent five minutes stuffing it into her shopping bag."

Don't Expect To Live Forever

Recent advances in medical science have raised many false hopes that humans may soon live regularly to be 100 or more. One well-known U.S. authority on old age has said that the normal life span from a purely physiological point of view, is probably between 100 and 120.

Actuaries, however, who usually have their feet firmly on the ground, are less optimistic. The Financial Post warns. Although the average life span on the North American continent has been extended since the beginning of the century from about 47 to 69 years, it seems that the most they can promise us is an average age of 75 years.

The effect of major diseases on long life is overestimated. Total elimination of cancer, for instance, would only add one or two years to the lives of average human beings. Elimination of heart disease would add, perhaps, nine years. A miraculous avoidance of all accidents by people of 40 or more would still give them less than one year's extra lease of life so long as bodies continue to "wear out" at their present rate.

Couple Make Seven Million Dollar Donation

Houston, Texas — A Lutheran couple here who want to remain anonymous, have contributed an estimated \$7 million for a Lutheran Hospital in the new Texas Medical Center. The announcement was made by officials of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, with which the couple is affiliated.

The gift, believed to be the largest single charitable donation in the 112-year history of the church body, will provide funds for a 250-bed Lutheran hospital to be built on a five-acre site adjoining the Texas Medical Center in Houston. It will be the first Lutheran hospital in Texas, though there are 28 Lutheran hospitals associations affiliated with the Missouri Synod throughout the United States.

Disclosure of the gift was made simultaneously with an announcement that a second Lutheran high school, costing an estimated \$750,000, will also be built here. The announcements were made at the annual Houston Lutheran banquet held in the grand ballroom of the Rice Hotel on April 3rd.

Dr. John Behnken, himself a native Texan who served as pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church here prior to his election to the presidency of the Synod, was the featured banquet speaker.

WHEAT PAYMENTS ANNOUNCED SOON

Announcement of the Canadian wheat board's final payment on the 1957-58 wheat pool will be made "during the next few weeks," Trade Minister Churchill informed the Commons Thursday.

He said the board has told him the 1957-58 pool will be closed in a few weeks and that the amount of the final payment will be announced immediately afterwards.

Farmers delivering wheat in the 1957-58 crop year received an initial delivery payment based on \$1.40 a bushel for No. 1 northern at the Lakehead. An interim payment was announced on February 25th totalling \$38,800,000, providing 10 cents a bushel on all grades except for a 15-cent payment on top grades of durum wheat.

Shades Of The Past . . .

Two young lads playing in the attic of the old A. G. Studebaker home came up with a 1927 New Year's edition of The Calgary Herald. Ronnie Green and Gordie Leeson were the ones who came up with the old-time news. The mailing label carries the name of A. G. Studebaker, now living at the coast, who was also a subscriber to The Pioneer at that time, and still is. Both subscriptions are marked "paid".

In The Herald, 1927 version, R. B. McKenzie King gave hopes for the New Year from the federal level; Premier J. E. Brownie spoke for the province and Fred E. Osborne, mayor of Calgary, had a few words put into print.

There's a fair amount of interesting news in this fairly well-preserved newspaper — including some prices that are a wee bit below today's specials. The income tax was a bit different in those days too.

Squirrel Cage . . .

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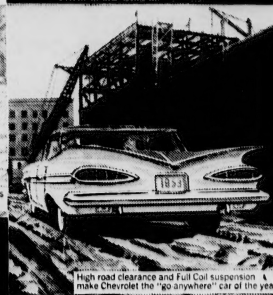


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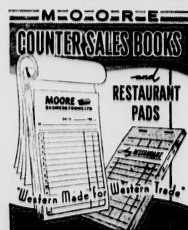
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THE DIDSBURY PIONEER

Do Stay-Awake
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So called "stay-awake pills" can be dangerous to drivers, the National Safety Council said recently. "The main dangers of the increasingly popular drug amphetamine are that it may eliminate the warning signal of fatigue in the driver, it may become habit forming and it may cause undesirable circulatory effect."

GEBERS — McMan

A beautiful wedding was solemnized on April 3rd, at 3 p.m. at the Redeemer Lutheran Church, Didsbury, when Shirley Fern McMan, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. McMan of Wainwright, exchanged vows with Gordon Leonard Gebers, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Gebers of Didsbury, Alberta.

The bride was a charming picture of quiet simplicity as she entered the church on the arm of her father, to the traditional bridal march. Her gown was of nylon net over white satin, with lace bodice embroidered with pearls and rhinestones and lace lily point sleeves with ruffles of lace at the back. Her finger tipped veil of nylon net with wide lace was held in place with a coronet of pearls and rhinestones and carried a shower bouquet of red roses. Her only jewelry was a wrist watch set with diamonds, a gift of the groom. The groom was dressed in a dark navy suit.

Rev. E. B. Fox performed the double ring ceremony; his message was very impressive as he spoke on "Thou Art My Fortress, Therefore Thy Name Shall Lead Me and Guide Me." Psalm 31:3.

The altar was banked with vases of snap dragons and carnations and large baskets of spring flowers and pussy willows. The aisles of the church for the guests were decorated with huge white bows.

Mrs. E. B. Fox, played a prelude of organ music before the ceremony, the traditional wedding March was used as the processional and recessional. Mrs. H. Goetjen sang the Wedding Prayer.

Yvonne McMan, niece of the bride as maid of honor, wore a ballerina length formal in pale pink nylon over net. The bridesmaids, Marion Heiser, school chum of the bride, from Calgary, in pale green; Carole McMan, cousin of the bride, in yellow; and Mrs. Sylvia Fedun, cousin of the groom wore pale blue. Each one carried large white bows with forget me nots and ribbons to match their gowns.

The groom's best man, his only brother, Myron, and the groom's attendants, Kenneth Devolin, Ronald Devolin and John Holub, all wore white jackets and charcoal trousers. The ushers, Murray Hanson, of Aldrie and Vernard McMan, nephew of the bride, of Didsbury, were also dressed in charcoal and white.

The reception for the 80 guests was held in the church parlors. Receiving the guests were the bride's mother, dressed in a pale blue lace over taffeta gown with pink accessories, and a corsage of pink roses and the groom's mother dressed in pale pink lace over taffeta gown with white accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

The bride's table was decked with lace table cloths, a large wedding cake adorned the centre of the table trimmed with pink roses and topped with a bride and groom. Rev. E. B. Fox, as master of ceremonies proposed the toast to the bride and the groom very ably responded. During the reception Mrs. Goetjen sang, "I Love You Truly" and "Always." Miss Frances Kohut, a friend of the bride and groom was in charge of the guest book.

Following the reception "Open House" was held at the home of the groom's parents, where over 200 friends and relatives gathered. A wedding dance followed at the Mountain View Hall.

For travelling the bride chose a turquoise suit topped with a coat to match with pink accessories. They left the same evening for a short trip to Edmonton and Wainwright.

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M.V.B.C. NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The closing exercises of the college are now in the past. Those who attended Baccalaureate and Commencement expressed their appreciation for the good addresses, the colorful presentations and splendid group of students who received their diplomas and certificates. We too, appreciate them, and will miss them greatly as they leave us. However, we have a good class for the coming year, and already some are making application to attend next winter. We would suggest that all local students intending to come, make applications early. Every young person should have at least one year of Bible College before taking up other vocations in life.

Mrs. W. and Mrs. Finlay went to Edmonton for a number of days and will return this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Witt will be leaving for Washington this week, and from there to the east. They have been booked for sailing to Nigeria the beginning of June. It has been a pleasure to have them on the faculty this year. Mr. Witt is at present with choir as they tour the Province. He has efficiently directed this group of young people. They will return on Wednesday.

Most of the faculty accompanied Rev. Arthur Walsh Baniff on Wednesday of last week. That was the cloudy day, but strange enough when we arrived in Banff the clouds lifted to the tops of the mountains, and Mr. Walsh was able to get some good movies to take home with him. Deer and mountain goats posed for him, and beautiful mountain scenes were possible.

Mrs. Suder remained in Calgary last Wednesday to help her daughter Lois re-decorate her home. It is a lovely place and will be most desirable as a home when it is finished.

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Traub, Miss G. Eby, and Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Neufeld, attended the Fine Arts recital at Canadian Nazarene College. Mr. Traub has been a student of Miss Darling, and was on the program. The audience were delighted by three of his renditions of three very difficult selections. The entire program was excellent; only the advanced students participated.

Little Marilyn Eby was successful in winning the bronze medal for her recitation last Friday evening at the W.C.T.U. medal contest. This is her first medal. Her sister Grace, has received all the local medals thus far.

On April 26th many members of the Alumni Association were on the grounds for their annual dinner was held in the Student Centre. In re-organization the following officers were elected: Neil B. Neufeld, president; Harley Dyck, vice-president; Mrs. Lavern Traub, secretary-treasurer, and Rev. D. M. Taylor, advisor.

Once again this group took a project for the college, but of a different nature than in former years. They intend to make the pantry of the college a better place to keep foods cold, with adequate shelves and cupboards. In addition they will secure a commercial food mixer. Both of these projects will mean much to the cook.

During the month of May President Taylor and a group of students will tour through the State of Washington. Deputation work is always essential, and to have students participate is essential to its success. Mr. and Mrs. Ormand Sherick, Miss Ann Snyder and Miss Doreen Rossing will form the deputation group. They will leave on Thursday.

Mr. Lavern Neufeld is busy engaged in building the president's home. He and his wife will be staying here while the work is proceeding. Later in the summer they will take a pastorate in the conference. Mr. and Mrs. Ormand Sherick will also take a pastorate after conference.

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DISTRICT NEWS**SERVICE BOARD NOTES**

— By —

W. K. SNYDER
Agricultural Service Board

Trees by the thousands have been arriving during the past week on numerous district farms. We were able to get started on the job of planting them. Two days were devoted to this job during which time we planted trees on eight different farms. The heavy snowfall has temporarily suspended our activities as far as planting is concerned, however we are thankful for the moisture resulting from the snow.

You may be wondering what to do with your trees. If you intend planting them yourself, place the rooted trees in the ground just a little deeper than they were originally. Pack the ground tightly around the roots. Be sure that the roots do not have opportunity to dry out between the time you remove them from the bundle and when you get them planted.

If you have a large number of trees and want us to bring out the tree planter to your farm, we will do so, providing that you let me know. I would also remind you that there is a modest charge for this service. The charge is certainly not a money making scheme, in fact it barely covers the actual cost of labor and mileage.

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His will is done each day in the world of nature. The sun rises and sets with marked regularity, the tides come and go, the stars that people the infinite spaces have their appointed courses. While the earth, reminding us of its seed time and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night shall not cease.

His will is done in the lives of individuals. And old proverb reads: "Man proposes, but God disposes." I am not the captain of my soul, nor the master of my destiny. I may make my plans and map out my career, but if He who sees the end from the beginning has other plans for me, I shall soon enough realize what is meant by the statement: "God's will be done." I think of Joseph of old. Notwithstanding the desire of his ten brethren, God's will was done, as Joseph also said: "Ye thought evil against me, but God meant it unto good, to bring to pass, as it is this day, to save much people alive."

His will is done in the kingdom of grace. Men are obsessed with the phobia that bitterly opposes the church. Men have tried to destroy His Word. But the very gates of hell, which means the pick of Satan's forces will not prevail against the Church. The Gospel will be preached in all the world, the church will grow, until time shall be no more.

What is His will? "This is the will of Him that sent me; that everyone which seeth the Son and believeth on Him may have everlasting life." It is also His will that we "love on another." Come to know Jesus as your Savior, and then leave all things in His hands. Though dark the way may be, you can rest assured, His will is still the best. In the submission to His will, doing His will, we find peace.

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Little Items of Local Interest

Mr. Robert Bittner, an employee of Woodworth's in Calgary for some time, has been transferred to Lethbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moon Sr. returned home Sunday following a five-month visit to the northern part of our fair country. Mr. Moon was at Fox Creek while Mrs. Moon visited with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Turner of Fernhill and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wollen of Drayton Valley.

—St. Cyprian's W.A. have gladioli bulbs for sale. Name varieties and choice bulbs. Contact Mrs. Art Thompson, phone 167.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Slawson of Lethbridge are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Les LeGrand.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Nicholson and son of Edmonton were weekend visitors with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ford, prior to leaving for Dawson Creek, where they will make their new home.

Miss Elaine Ramm left this week for Medicine Hat, where she will spend a portion of her annual holiday.

—A Made-to-measure Suit Sale is on the way at Borscht's. Extra pants One Cent!

Mr. Tom Morris is a patient in the Calgary General Hospital, where he is taking a medical check-over. It is expected that he will return home within the next few days.

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Notes From D.A.

By HOWARD FULCHER
District Agriculturist

High pressure salesmanship and much publicity has brought much interest in a new crop to the district. The new plant seed being sold is "Sorghum Grass" and literature makes great claims as to its ability.

Sorghum Alumi is supposedly a hybrid between sorghum and Johnson grass. Johnson grass is a troublesome weed which may or may not survive in this area.

Sorghum is a crop confined mainly to the southern corn belt of the United States.

Sorghum Alumi is presumed to have been introduced from Argentina, South Africa, Australia and New Zealand at different times.

The produce, Sorghum Grass is claimed as a special strain from there.

Johnson grass is a weed and there is a possibility of introducing it with the seed, however it is not known if it could survive our climate. Sorghum as stated above are more or less limited to the southern States, Argentina and New Zealand areas.

No extensive experimental work has been done on this new grass in this area. Reports of this crop in Vancouver indicated it did not survive the winter. Work will be done this year at Lacombe to see if the grass has any future in this area.

If it is only a one year crop, oats would be just as good and certainly much less expensive. With lack of knowledge of the capabilities of the grass and the danger of introducing a new weed it would perhaps be advisable to wait a year before purchasing seed.

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Coming Events

—Dance to the music of Fishers Orchestra at Melvin Hall on May 1st.

—There will be a dance in Mountain View hall on May 8th; Fishers orchestra; sponsored by the hall board.

—The Didsbury Kinamen Club will hold a dance in Mountain View hall on May 29th; Fishers orchestra.

—There will be a dance at Lone Pine Hall on Friday, June 12th, Fishers orchestra. Raffle to be held. Sponsored by Lone Pine Orchestra Club.

—Didsbury W.I. constituency will hold its annual handcraft display and tea in the Didsbury school auditorium on Saturday, May 2nd, at 3 p.m. Come and bring a friend.

—Eric Ratledge, optometrist, assistant to K. Roy McLean, announces the date of his next visit as Monday, May 11, morning only at the Rosebud hotel. Consult in city office, 1014, Greyhound Building, in Calgary.

—Knox United Church W.A. will hold a Mother's Day Tea and Bake Sale in the church basement on Saturday, May 9th at 2:30 p.m.

—The next regular meeting of the West Didsbury Golf Club will be held Thursday evening, April 30th, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Robertson. The club will be hosts to the Carstairs Golf Club.

—Why not pick up a book from the Didsbury Library when you are shopping on a Saturday evening. Your local library is situated in the town office, and is open from 7 to 9 on Saturday evenings.

—St. Cyprian's W.A. will sell fresh tulips on Saturday, May 9th at Campbell's Food Store.

—CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
God's law of justice and mercy will be brought out at Christian Science services Sunday.

"Everlasting Punishment" is the topic of the Lesson-Sermon, a central theme of which is set forth in the Golden Text: "Evil pursueth sinners; but to the righteous God shall be repayed" (Proverbs 15:31).

Selections from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, will include (22:30-31): "Justice requires reformation of the sinner. Mercy cancels the debt only when justice approves."

Among the Bible passages to be read is this from Psalms (61:1): "Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy loving kindness; according unto the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out my transgressions."

LATE CLASSIFIEDS

FOUND — Hub cap for late model Chevrolet light delivery truck. Owner may claim same by calling at The Pioneer office and paying for this ad.

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FOR SALE — Purebred Holstein bull, without papers, 20 months old, artificial breeding, \$250. W. P. Shultz, phone 515, Didsbury. 17-3tp

FOR SALE — Stock racks for one ton truck with steel box, \$20. Walter E. Scheidt, phone 609, Didsbury. 1tp

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank all who sent cards of sympathy and flowers, also those who helped in any way to lighten our burden in our recent bereavement in the loss of our beloved mother, Mrs. J. Sparrell.

MRS. FISCHER & FAMILY
and SISTERS 1tp

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank Drs. Bankier and O'Hea, and the whole hospital staff for the kindness and care given me while a patient there. Also, the many friends who visited me or sent cards and gifts.

MRS. JUSTINA LOEWEN 1tc

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all our relatives, neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy, beautiful floral offerings and cards received at the passing of our beloved son, Wilfred. A special thanks to Rev. Maere, the doctors, nurses and staff of the Didsbury hospital, and the Orme Funeral Home.

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